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Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the instant application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A method of providing biometric information over a telephone call established over a Public Switched Telephone Network (PSTN) between at least one a speaker and a subscriber comprising:

subscribing a voice analysis service by the subscriber;

receiving a full bandwidth PSTN audio voice stream from the speaker transmitted over the PSTN, said audio voice stream comprising including a plurality of voice signals of the speaker;

invoking the voice analysis service by the subscriber;

providing the voice signals to the voice analysis service;

determining biometric information from the voice signals of the speaker <u>by the</u> voice analysis service;

identifying inaudible portions in the PSTN audio voice stream using a psychoacoustic model;

modifying said <u>PSTN audio voice</u> stream by encoding the <u>determined</u> biometric information and replacing the identified inaudible portions of the <u>PSTN audio voice</u> stream with said encoded information; and

transmitting the modified <u>PSTN audio</u> <u>voice</u> stream to the subscriber over the <u>established telephone call</u> <u>PSTN</u>.

2. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1, said determining step comprising: extracting at least one attribute from the voice signals;